

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Charline
2 Stickles.

3 WHEREAS, Charline Stickles was born November 10, 1930, in New York City, the
4 beloved daughter of the late William and Claire Hazard Stickles; and

5 WHEREAS, Charline Stickles married Colley W. Bell, Jr., an Episcopal priest who
6 also worked as a geologist for the United States Geological Survey; and

7 WHEREAS, Charline Stickles graduated from Smith College and obtained her
8 Master's Degree from the University of Kentucky. She was a teacher, Dean, and Provost
9 at Margaret Hall School from 1966 to 1979, and a teacher at St. John the Baptist in New
10 Jersey and the Darrow School in New Lebanon, New York. She retired to Versailles in
11 1989; and

12 WHEREAS, Charline Stickles was a devout woman who attended St. Peter's
13 Episcopal Church in Morristown, New Jersey, St. John's Episcopal Church in Cornwall,
14 New York, Bethesda by the Sea in Palm Beach, Florida, and St. John's Episcopal Church
15 in Versailles. She was a devoted member of the Altar Guild; and

16 WHEREAS, Charline Stickles was accomplished with many skills. She completed
17 New York Times crossword puzzles for most of her life, and renovated and transformed a
18 former convent into the family home. She was a master chef, gardener, carpenter,
19 seamstress, plumber, bricklayer, and voracious reader; and

20 WHEREAS, Charline Stickles departed this earthly life on October 20, 2016,
21 leaving her family, friends, and an entire community in solemn mourning; and

22 WHEREAS, Charline Stickles was preceded in death by her parents and husband.
23 She is survived by her daughter, Catherine DeButts Bell; her son, Colley W. Bell III and
24 his wife, Edwina; and her grandson, Colley W. Bell IV;

25 NOW, THEREFORE,

26 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of*
27 *Kentucky:*

1 ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby expresses its most profound sense of sorrow upon
2 the passing of Charline Stickles and extends its heartfelt sympathy to her family, friends,
3 and community in this time of loss.

4 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
5 memory of Charline Stickles.

6 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution
7 to Senator John Schickel for delivery to Catherine DeButts Bell.